## **Specification Amendments**

Please amend the specification at page 1, lines 10-11 (the title of the invention) as follows:

TCL\_PLI, A FRAMEWORK FOR REUSABLE, RUN TIME CONFIGURABLE TEST BENCHES METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR HARDWARE SIMULATION AND DESIGN VERIFICATION

Please delete the text in the <u>substitute specification</u> at page 16, line 25 through page 17, line 2.